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INFLATION ISSUE IS DROPPED BY BONUS BACKERS IN HOUSE

Patman Forces Agree to Political War Stirred by Fight Only for Full Cash Payment.

VETERAN GROUPS UNITE

Legion, V. of F. W., Disabled Soldiers Present Their Plan.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The inflation issue was virtually knocked out of the soldiers' bonus fight for the coming session when the House Patman inflation bonus bill steering committee agreed unanimously today to fight only for full cash payment regardless of method.

Prior to announcement of the agreement, Senate Majority Leader Joseph T. Robinson predicted Congress would pass a bonus measure acceptable to the President. The three major veterans organizations had agreed to unite on a measure providing for immediate cash payment.

The steering committee voted unanimously to fight for full cash payment of the bonus, but sidestepped the question of currency expansion as proposed in the original measure and indicated that if a majority of the House seeks to amend the bill to provide for other payment methods it would accept the decision of the chamber.

Vote Due Jan. 13

The committee decided, on this basis of compromise, to go ahead with plans for a vote on the Patman bill on Jan. 13 in the House when it automatically comes up for a forced vote by the petition route.

Meanwhile, however, the committee decided to call a caucus for 10 a. m. tomorrow of all 218 signers of the Patman bill petition to decide the issue of method of payment.

The committee, controlling the bill, is composed of 20 members. Only 14 of them were present today and Rep. Wright L. Patman (D., Tex.), who has led the inflation bonus fight for years, said the group was in entire accord.

Rep. Patman conferred with the President over the bonus situation yesterday.

After the meeting broke up, Mr. Patman said the group "has decided to extend the olive branch and wants to co-operate to the end" (Turn to Page Three)

PRESIDENT TO MAKE THREE SHORT TRIPS

Journeys Scheduled to New York, Philadelphia, Cambridge.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—While President Roosevelt worked at top speed today to complete his annual message to Congress tomorrow night, it was announced that he has three trips in prospect. On Jan. 19 he is to speak in New York City at dedication of the Theodore Roosevelt Memorial.

On Feb. 22, the President is to go to Temple University, Philadelphia, to attend a founders' Day celebration and to participate in the dedication of a new library.

After the Temple exercises, Mr. Roosevelt is to proceed to Cambridge, Mass., to take part in the one hundredth anniversary celebration of the Fly Club.

From the Fly Club a special train is to carry him to Hyde Park, where he will remain for a few days.

MRS. TALMADGE TURNS DOWN ROOSEVELT BID

"Farm Work Will Keep Me Busy," Says Georgia Governor's Wife.

By United Press

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 2.—Mrs. Eugene Talmadge, wife of Georgia's anti-New Deal Governor, said she would be forced to accept an invitation of Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt to attend a White House function, Jan. 8, because farm work will keep her busy at home.

The invitation said Mrs. Roosevelt would be glad to receive Mrs. Talmadge next Wednesday afternoon. "I suppose it is a tea," Mrs. Talmadge said.

CONGRESSMAN TO ASK RELIEF 'WASTE' INQUIRY

McLeod, Michigan Republican, to Seek Action Tomorrow.

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Liberal

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The du Pont family of Wilmington, Del., was revealed today as the main financial aid to the American Liberty League in a report of expenditures filed with the House clerk.

The report showed total receipts during 1935 of \$483,175, and total expenditures of \$389,972. The du Ponts contributed \$23,500, and lent \$114,500 to the anti-New Deal organization. Other contributors and leaders included John J. Raskob, former campaign manager for Al Smith.

Others listed:

Alfred P. Sloan, General Motors, contribution and loans, \$15,000.

E. T. Weir, Pittsburgh, loan, \$15,000.

Joseph E. Widener, Philadelphia, contribution or loan of \$15,000.

Bankers Trust Co., New York, loan \$20,000.

Irene du Pont, Wilmington, loan \$70,000.

Pierre du Pont, contribution and loan \$15,000.

S. Hallock du Pont, contribution and loan \$15,000.

William D. du Pont, contribution and loan \$15,000.

Frank M. Gould, New York, \$100.

Edward F. Hutton, New York, loan and contribution \$6000.

William S. Knudsen, Detroit, contribution \$5000.

The report showed that Jouett Shouse, head of the League, received for salary and traveling expenses more than \$51,000.

The President's speech and Congress — Raymond Clapper, noted political writer, gives his view in his first daily column in The Times. It's on Page 1 of the Second Section.

The sharp comment of republicans on the selection of an hour when the message could be broadcast to the greatest possible audience opened a flurry of political warfare which is expected to continue until the presidential election next November.

Tomorrow night President Roosevelt, breaking all precedents, will address both houses at an hour when most Americans are close to their radios. Republican Chairman Henry P. Fletcher charged that his speech would be partisan political rather than the traditional account of the "state of the Union."

House Orators Ready

Democrats and Republicans gathering for what the New Deal hoped would be a short, non-controversial session, expected the legislative halls to be in more or less continuous use as sounding boards for the November elections. Democrats believed it so firmly that they were forming a "junta" of House orators to answer every attack on the New Deal in that chamber.

It was believed that Mr. Roosevelt's plan to address a night session, instead of delivering his speech at a day session as has been the custom, would go through without a hitch. Democratic leaders discounted the reports that House Republicans might seek to block approval of a

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Jon Plays With Toys

Jon has spent most of his time playing with his toys. Mrs. Lindbergh has done much reading, and Col. Lindbergh has been busy telephoning.

British newspaper correspondents, angered as well as astonished at Col. Lindbergh's secrecy, announced that they intended to trail him until he explained personally his reasons for his visit, after which they would let him alone.

In an interview given yesterday by an official spokesman—Mr. Gregory—Col. Lindbergh said he intended to be in England six months.

Victim Near Death

Mr. Brothers was found, skull fractured and bleeding from severe cuts, by a passing motorist early yesterday on Sherman-dr near 16th-st. City Hospital attaches say he has little chance to recover.

Late last night Charles Pringle, 17, of 717 N. Gladstone-av, told detectives he witnessed the accident, pursued the car two blocks before halting it, and told the driver to return to the scene. The man said he was unaware he had struck anyone. Mr. Pringle said, but asked for room to turn to go back.

Mr. Pringle continued to his home.

Patrolman Is Injured

Patrolman Peter Mause was treated today at City Hospital for slight injuries received when squad car No. 41 skidded while answering a radio call and crashed into the Pennsylvania Railroad elevation supports at Madison-av. The driver Pat-o-lman Claude Reidenbaugh, was no injured.

Vincent Safanek, 42, of 3712 N. Keystone-av, was taken to City Hospital with severe head cuts received early today when the car he was driving crashed into a safety zone guard at Park and Massachusetts av. His condition is described as fair.

Safanek's car would not start and was being pushed by a car driven by Frank S. Browne, 3727 N. Keystone-av.

Clarence Dodd, 38, and Edward Davis, 55, R. R. 6, Box 412, were injured today when a parked truck in back of which they were working at 6162 E. 22nd-st was struck by a People's Motor Coach Co. bus and shoved into them.

They were treated at City Hospital for injuries that were said to be not serious.

Strongman Quins Boon to Business in Ontario

Visitors Spend Nearly \$1,000,000 in Summer Months.

By United Press

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 2.—Visitors to the Dafoe Hospital, home of the Dionne quintuplets at Callander, spent nearly \$1,000,000 in Ontario from June to September, it was estimated today from figures released by the Ontario Tourist Bureau.

The temperatures are to continue warm tonight and tomorrow, except that there may be either snow or rain tonight. Tonight's low is expected to be about 30.

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TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 2.—Prison authorities began active preparation today to execute Bruno Richard Hauptmann in less than two weeks. Hauptmann reacted with a new effort to prove himself innocent of the murder of Charles A. Lindbergh Jr.

His lawyers expected Gov. Harold G. Hoffman to set a date today for the Court of Pardons, the eight-man body which has the power of clemency given to Governor in other states, to hear his last appeal. They expect the date to be Monday or Tuesday.

Preparing for the hearing they mustered evidence and witnesses to assail the credibility of certain state testimony in Hauptmann's Fleming trial, new evidence they claim to have discovered, and their old argument that Hauptmann was given a "circus maximus" rather than a fair trial.

While C. Lloyd Fisher in New York and two of his colleagues of Hauptmann's counsel in New Jersey labored to perfect his final bid for life, Col. Mark O. Kimberling, principal prison keeper, started the machinery that will take Hauptmann to the electric chair in the week of Jan. 13.

DOCTORS ARE NAMED FOR ATHLETIC STUDY

Medical Committee to Probe Hazards of High School Sports.

Times Special

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The five, all former athletes and three of whom are surgeons, are Dr. W. D. Little, Indianapolis; Dr. William L. Green, Columbus; Dr. G. A. Thomas, Lafayette; Dr. H. G. Wadsworth, Washington, and Dr. E. P. Holland, Bloomington.

Strong Steel, Rubber Make Mart Irregular

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Rubber shares pushed ahead of 1935 highs, U. S. Rubber preferred showing 3% advance at 50%. The common was 1% higher at 17 1/2%, while Goodrich and Firestone bettered 1935 highs.

Crucible Steel advanced 1 1/2% to bring strength in steel U. S. Steel was 1% higher at 49%; Bethlehem 1% higher, at 52%. Remaining of the market was spotty.

Ormandy Is NAMED PHILADELPHIA DIRECTOR

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LINDY CHAFES AT RESTRAINTS OF SELF-EXILE

Spends Hours at Phone Apparently Arranging Place to Live.

ANGERS BRITISH PRESS

Prison Authorities Rush Preparations to Send Bruno to Chair.

By United Press

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 2.—A private detective paced today before the suite of Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh and their son, Jon, to keep off undesired visitors and prevent the questioning of hotel aids.

Inside the suite, Col. Lindbergh was reported chafing under his self-imposed confinement, nervously pacing the floor.

The Lindberghs, here to escape threats against their son, found themselves still the center of curiosity roused largely by the filer's secrecy concerning himself and his plans.

Col. Lindbergh was understood to be awaiting the return of W. H. Gregory, of the Morgan Grenfell banking house, who left Liverpool to arrange details of the Lindberghs' residence.

Wales Likely Residence

It has been said on what might be called semi-official authority that the Lindberghs would go to Wales, to visit